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WILY MAYOR SCORES ONE

TWO CROSSES WILL MAKE VOTE DECISIVE

VOTE YES TO END OWENS

Simple Instructions Given Voters To Follow In Recall Election

In the adjoining two columns is printed the upper portion of the ballot which will be used at the recall election on the 31st of this month. This is the only portion of the ballot with which the voters will have to do, as beneath it is run the statements of the parties desiring the recall and the statement of Owens.

This is the first time a sample of the ballot has been published and attention is therefore called to the fact that two crosses must be inserted in the squares.

The first and paramount issue is whether or not Owens is to be recalled and when this is decided the voter can decide on the candidate which he or she desires should supplant him. But remember, IT IS ABSOLUTELY NECESSARY TO VOTE ON THE RECALL, and that two crosses are necessary to make a ballot valid.

Even if a voter does not desire to recall Owens, a stamp must be put after the candidate's name, which it is deemed would be the best man for the place in event the majority of the votes are against Owens.

There seems to be a great deal of quandary regarding the ballot, but it is easily understood, when one takes into consideration that the ballot must be stamped twice no matter of what frame of mind a voter is in.

As the date for the recall approaches the candidates are making their campaigns more interesting. Yesterday all of the candidates were busy in Marin county and the remainder of the week will probably be spent there.

Mass meetings are being promised for next week, the final one of the campaign.

Sample Ballot

QUESTION

Shall James C. Owens be recalled from the office of member of the Senate of the State of California from the Ninth Senatorial District.	YES	X
	NO	

CANDIDATES

State Senator, Ninth Senatorial District. — Vote for One.

CHARLES EMMONS FISHER	
RUDOLPH LEONHART	
JOHN J. MAZZA	

STAMP OFFER IS TURNED DOWN

The proposition of a San Francisco man to give the Richmond merchants trading stamps cheaper than they are getting them at present was turned down last night by the Merchants' Association at the meeting of that body, held in Sequoia Hall. The proposition was discussed at length, but the consensus of opinion was that unfavorable action should be taken on the matter, as it was thought that the only real beneficiary would be the man who made the proposition.

At last night's meeting the by-laws recently framed were read and finally adopted. There was no opposition to the passage of any section of the by-laws. The session was well attended, and the interest taken augurs well for the commercial activity of the Richmond business men and the ecectiveness of the Merchants' Association.

MASONS MEET

Alpha Lodge, F. and A. M., held its regular business meeting last night, at which routine matters were gone over.

POST OFFICE FORCE TOO SMALL

Bicycles, trunks, baby carriages, sacks of potatoes, fish and every other commodity known to the market is what is causing great worry to the members of the local postoffice, and the crew is now trying to devise ways and means to make delivery prompt and yet have time enough to eat meals.

The first thing decided upon to relieve the congestion is to make the carrier delivery twice a day, instead of once, as at present. Then there will have to be a larger force employed, if any kind of service is desired.

There is five times the amount of bags coming in now than there was six months ago and it is increasing daily. Mails for the East are put directly aboard the trains and sorted at Sacramento, instead of in San Francisco, as heretofore.

There are seventeen mails arriving and departing during the day and the volume of matter is so large that it kepes the force jumping to get it out. The resignation of Al Mejia, who has been carrying the pouches, has caused many to rush to get in bids for the place, which pays $1080 a year.

The job will be awarded on the 25th of the month. It requires the applicant to have a four-cylinder automobile able to travel at least thirty miles an hour. Mejia asserts that it is impossible to keep up a car and make the trips and still have enough left to live on. He thinks the job enough for two men with the salary about twice as large.

WHOLE TOWN TO ATTEND EXHIBIT

Today is Richmond day at the big city planning exhibition in Oakland and every resident of the city should drop business and household cares long enough to visit the big show, which will surely be worth every moment of attention given it.

Yesterday Dr. Charles R. Blake and Mayor Ludewig were present at the big show and secured some very good suggestions. This evening Colonel Thomas H. Rees will speak on "Harbors" and he will tell of what has been done and what is going to be done by the bay cities.

Yesterday the health officers about the bay attended the show. Luncheon was served them at the Hotel Oakland and after it the six doctors present got together to form an association of similar ozcials about the bay. It is expected that there will be thirty or thirty-five in the final membership.

Those present yesterday were Dr. Benton of Berkeley, Dr. Gillighan of Oakland, Dr. Woolsey of Albany, Dr. Hironymus of Alameda, Dr. Browning of Hayward and Dr. Blake of Richmond.

BALL DRAWS THRONG TO PARK

The members of the Young Men's and Young Ladies' Institute proved royal hosts last night, and all who attended their big ball given at East Shore Park enjoyed themselves. The ball is an annual affair, and consequently a large crowd of merry dancers, well knowing that a good time was in store for them, crowded the platform.

At 9 o'clock the majority of those in attendance joined in the grand march. From then on joy reigned supreme. When at 1 o'clock this morning the band stopped playing and the merry throng of dancers wended its way homeward, all voted the ball the most successful of the present season.

In commemoration of the date the hall was tastily decorated in green. The color scheme of green was carried out admirably. The committee in charge of the ball provided all present with a shamrock.

SOCIAL RAISES FUND FOR CATHOLIC BODY

For the purpose of defraying the cost of a number of new song books which have been purchased for the Sunday school, the Ladies' Aid Society of the San Pablo Baptist Church held a social in the reception parlors of the church last night. A neat little sum was cleared from the efforts of the society. A short program was rendered during the evening.

SEEK BIG PAVING BONUS

Warren Company Asks For Twenty Five Cents Per Square Yard Royalty

People who have never even considered the street improvement matters before are now discussing them eagerly, and the farther they go the more they learn, so some real interesting disclosures as to the methods pursued in this city can be expected in the very near future.

One of the matters which caused many to sit up and take notice was the rapidity with which the council disposed of a letter from the Warren Brothers Company, asking that they be allowed to collect 25 cents a square yard on all asphalt concrete laid in the city.

The letter is as follows:

"City Clerk, Richmond. Cal.—Dear Sir: I am enclosing you patent license agreement covering the proposed improvement on Standard avenue.

"The City of Richmond has a blanket agreement covering the entire city for bitulithic pavement, but as there is no blanket agreement for asphalt concrete, it will be necessary to have a license agreement in each case.

"Kindly advise me date of filing same in order that I may complete my records here. Thanking you in advance, I remain, yours very truly,

"FRANK REESE."

There is the letter from the company, and accompanying it is the agreement. But what the taxpayers are now looking into is whether similar agreements are in vogue elsewhere. They expect to have an answer very shortly, as several letters have been written to find out.

The city attorney recommended on Monday night that the agreement be placed on file, and this, he asserted, would mean that the contractors would have to pay the royalty. Don't say it is excessive, Mr. Taxpayer, for you are not expected to growl.

Anyway the motion was carried and there it was expected to end. BUT IT HAS NOT ENDED, AND WILL NOT END, AS WILL BE SHOWN AT SOME FUTURE DATE BY THE NEWS.

The News desires to have the public keep these matters in mind, as future developments will show of what great interest they are. Councilman Willis made the motion and Garrard seconded it, and the whole council voted for its acceptance.

"Hunky" Shaw, who has been with the Richmond Club for the past season, left last night for Vancouver to report to that club. Shaw is in tiptop shape as a result of the playing he has already done this season. His berth on the Canadian Club in the Northwest outfit is assured. Accompanying Shaw was Jake Killilay, who reports with Mike Lynch's Spokane outfit.

Member of the House, Rivers and Harbors Committee, who helped Richmond win her point

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WHITE HOUSE IS HOTEL DE QUALITY

In "Perils of the White Lights" Kalem has produced a powerful two-part drama, which should be seen by every person in Point Richmond. This great picture will be shown at the Point Theater tonight. Annabelle, the principal character of this story, is a show girl who unwittingly places herself in the power of a scoundrel. Faced by a terrible peril, the girl shoots him in self-defense. Her story is revealed at her trial and Annabelle is freed. Then comes a villain who tries to get her to go back to the stage, where the notoriety she has gained would bring her a fortune. The girl repulses him and goes to the country, where she starts life anew. She wins the love of a young farmer. All goes well until her enemy discovers her whereabouts and threatens to expose her unless she consents to return to the stage. Then come a series of incidents which will fascinate every photoplay patron who sees this feature. "Perils of the White Lights" is the one picture everybody should see.

WAGE SCALE ASKED FOR ENTIRE STATE

Petitions are now being circulated in this city, asking that no working person shall receive less than $2.50 per day for his work. The measure first sprung up in Los Angeles county, but rapidly spread over the state, and now everyone is putting his signature down.

The law would make it a criminal offense to pay any one over 18 years of age less than $2.50 per day and for children under 18 years less than $1.50 per day.

PLOT HAS CITY IN SMILES

Trap Laid For Ludewig Is Sprung By Council Just Moment Too Late

Ripples of real laughter permeated the very air yesterday and many were they who smiled over their cups while trying to drown the warmth of the day. Story after story of how the mayor handed the well fed bunch at the city hall the double-cross were told and each one added a new angle to a situation which any one will admit was amusing.

It all happened this way. All News readers know what a glorious "panning" the mayor handed the improvement companies. Every one knows how some of the council took the "panning" very much at heart.

Well, the mayor was due to get his on Monday night. It had all been rehearsed and was to have its inception with the introduction of an ordinance appointing a meat inspector. The ordinance was introduced all right, but if you happened to be among those present you would have noticed that the great and only Follett occupied the chief executive mound instead of his honor.

The ordinance, so the stories go, was merely introduced so that the very peeved improvement companies could get a slam at the mayor. When it came up Mayor Ludewig had disappeared. He had asked Councilman Follett to get in his chair and then quietly soft-pedaled his way to his home.

It was a beautiful and distinguished array of street improvement faces which decorated the chairs, and they came armed to the teeth with orators and evidence, but alas and alack! the mayor had made his getaway. The Glooms ascended on the distinguished throng, and bystanders assert the mayor chuckled to himself as he made his way to his downy couch.

Here is what would have happened, but now it is all spoiled: It was intended to introduce the ordinance and then show that the mayor has the grip on the butcher business here. Then, it is said, witnesses were to show that some small pieces of meat, which the mayor had allowed to slip out of his shop, were to be given the strong talk.

Have you guessed who was to be the spokesman for the party? Well, he is a former city official. And the mayor. Sly old fox.

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WOMAN CAUSES TURMOIL BY TELEPHONING TO THE POLICE

Telephones buzzed and hummed throughout the city last night, automobiles whirled rapidly along the streets, and the police swarmed here and there, all because Mrs. John McLain was on the other end of a telephone receiver, claiming that her husband was flourishing a revolver in her home at 2325 Castro avenue.

Officer Munday and Chief Arnold whirled out to the home in a jiffy, but found a dark dwelling. They returned to their headquarters, only to get another message pleading for immediate aid.

Finally it was discovered that Mrs. McLain was holding forth in O'Neill's saloon in San Pablo and was using the telephone there. The police believe that Mrs. McLain is merely trying to cause a little stir. Her husband, who is employed as bartender at the Cottage Bar, could not be found last night.

Mrs. McLain was Mrs. "Gunboat" Smith until her wedding a month ago. She has a wide acquaintance in town. Late in the evening she rang up the News and issued all kinds of threats and defies and stated she was at her home.

When asked if she had been to O'Neill's saloon she denied it. Shortly afterwards a News reporter called up the saloon and Mrs. McLain responded to the call. She declared that she was going to get a warrant for her husband's arrest, but up to a late hour last night had not taken that action. The saloon being outside of the city limits, the officers were not able to take care of her.

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OWENS IS FRIGHTENED

Evidently Senator Owens does not consider that the effort to recall is as significant as he at first professed to believe it was. There is an anxious wrinkle on the senatorial brow, and there is a nervous twitch in the lips as they beg the support of even the despised Labor Unionist. Owens friends and masters, whom he served so well in the legislature are not rallying as he had hoped; and the women voters do not like either his fight against better conditions for their sex who have to work in factories or canneries, or his effort to please another faction by allowing saloons to be open until two A. M.

The women have not so far been as much interested in the fight as they might have been but they are awakening up now, and are asking themselves is James C. Owens the kind of a man that they would like to have represent them at Sacramento? They realize that now that they have the ballot they are responsible as well as the men for the class of legislators who go to the State Capitol and they are announcing themselves as opposed to the continuation of Owens in terms that even he has heard, and which evidently he fears. Owens is alarmed, and now he rushes into print, not in the county, but through outside papers and endeavors to pose as a much persecuted individual.

The promised explanation that was going to tell why he stayed away from each of the 731 rolls has not seen the light of day, but if there is any possible scheme for which even an imaginary explanation can be faked up it is to be forth coming.

The biblical effort to connect him with the Adultress in the Scriptures has not improved his candidacy i any way, and many of his friends blame his indiscrete Kansas friend for bringing in the story at all. There are so many people who get things confused and who are likely to think that the comparison was not as purely figurative as it would appear to be, especially when one has the reputation of being a jolly good fellow as James C. Owens. Certainly the women and the church people are not going to rally around him because he so aptly illustrates a biblical parable.

THE LABOR MARKET

Years ago the raising of fruit in this state was unprofitable. Each orchardist raised his own crop, marketed his own crop, and usually lost his own money for his pains. Knowing nothing of the condition of the fruit markets of the country each producer shipped where he thought there was likely to be the best market, and the result was that fruit was glut in some sections, and a famine in others. After carrying on business in that style for years. After denouncing the railroads and commission men forbidding them, after selling the fruit often for less than the freight charges the orchardists got together and formed an organization which by an intelligent management of their business had added millions to their wealth and that of the state and have made fruit raising a very profitable and important source of income for California.

The process employed is comparatively simple. The exchange keeps tab on the market of the country, and when a train load of fruit is shipped East orders are dropped off here and there as the demand requires, so that each Eastern community gets what it wants and what it will buy and consume, and the California rancher gets his money with a good slice on the right side of the ledger.

The whole secret therefore of the success of the present plan is knowing the state of the fruit market all over the country and taking advantage of it. Why cannot the labor market be handled in the same way? If the various towns, cities and states the country over would collect information on the demands in their vicinity for labor, just as the fruit men collect their dates, and that in formation was furnished daily either through the papers like any other market quotation, or at some central point in each center of importance, the man looking for work would not go wandering around the United States starving and agitating as he does now.

Even the puestion of transportation could be solved in some way, but first of all the question of where the work is to be had should be published. The result would be that there would always be work for those who have no permanent place of abode, and the communities could easily take care of their own unemployed, if the emergency arose.

That is the method applied to the prevention of famine which at one time occurred periodically but which today is unknown in civilized countries. When one section is short the others are drawn upon for help and supplies. There is always plenty of work somewhere, but often the work and the laborer are far apart.

The plan suggested would have also the advantage of stating what the class of employment was and what wages would be paid, just as we have quotations on produce and fruits and other commodities. Labor is a commodity. It is something that is marketed just as much as any other human product, and there is no reason why it should not be treated as a market produce just as much as wheat, or coal, or apples. A system of that kind would obviate the necessity for unemployed, and it would be evident that those who did not work did not want to, and could be treated as drones are always treated by their industrious brethern.

PENSIONING THE AGED AND INFIRM

One of the questions which the next Legislature will be called upon to settle will be the pensioning of the aged and infirm. The plan at first blush may seem to be more or less impracticable to some, who always look upon every new idea and progressive movement askance, but as a matter of fact it is really only a change in methods, not in principles and therefore should surprise no one.

For years, for ages, in fact ever since the state stepped in and took up the work formerly done by the Church of caring for the aged and sick we have had what were formerly called alms houses, but are now known as county hospitals. To those who are unable to care for themselves by reason of disease or age go, and it is now a generally admitted principle that it is the duty to take care of those who go there, and to take care of them well, and comfortably. Injustice to the poor is looked upon today as a crime. But if it is all right to care for the poor in homes or hospitals established for that purpose, why not give them the same help and allow them to live with their families, if they have any, or with friends and quietly, and so that the public will not look upon them as public charges?

It costs no more, in fact it costs less, and is less liable to cause unpleasant criticism, or grafting to allow the poor to live at home then it is to force them to live in public institutions. Take for instance, the case of an old couple who have gone through life together for fifty or more years it is positively cruel to insist that they shall be separated because they are too old to work and have none to work for them. Why should they not be given a small pension, no more than their maintenance in the state institution would cost, and be allowed to board with their children, or with those whom they have known on the outside world but cannot afford to maintain them free of all compensation?

The pensioning of the aged in this country will have to be done by the states and not by the federal government, as our national government is not centralized as are the governments of Europe and the population is too large and the area too vast for national supervision.

The establishment of a pension system will have to be very carefully arranged and should only be made applicable to those who have lived at least five if not more years in this state, because otherwise until the others adopt a similar system California would be over run with those who would prefer to pass the end of their days in this climate, a great tribute to California, but a very tough thing for the taxpayers.

THE SMALL FELLOW FINANCIALLY

Mayor Ludewig continues to make a record for himself as fighter in the interests of the people. As he says in connection with the Twenty Third street muddle the man who is buying a lot on the installment plan has just as much a right to be considered as any one, in fact he has more because the load he is carrying is probably much heavier than his richer neighbor. But unfortunately all of the mayor's colleagues do not seem to look at the small fellow with such sympathetic eyes, as His Honor, when it comes to spending the former's hard earned money paid into the treasury in the shape of taxes. Here is then a beautiful indifference; money is spent paying contractors to stand around with their hands in their pockets; money is spent for street work at much higher rates than is necessary, or than other communities are paying; money is spent in lawsuits and other legal contests, and then comes the money that goes glimmering when there is a question of rights of ways, regarding streets, etc., ad infinitum.

The Senate has done well to call upon Ambassador Page for an explanation of his extraordinary speech in London Thursday last when he announced that the Panama canal was built to oblige the British and that Americans rejoiced that the English would be the beneficiaries of the Big Ditch. Naturally the Germans and other nationalities are not tickled with such statements, and the reflection on the people of this country is too obvious to need any emphasis. It looks as though after several years of fair representation abroad we are returning to the days when this country was continually busy, through its foreign representatives in smurking before European courts and people.

Texas convicts have offered a reward for the return of two parole breakers who ran away while a number were working on honor outside the prison walls. The men who offer the reward declare that they feel they have been disgraced by the men who broke their word. A system which establishes such a high sense of honor in a penitentiary is certainly to be commended .

It is announced that the present Congress will increase the national expenditures $100,000,000. That we can stand such an increase without any deficit is remarkable.

Cutting up a valuable painting that belongs to the nation is not a very commendable way of securing political rights. If any people are to be made to suffer by a political campaign it is those who can do something.

The President has signed the Alaska Government railroad bill If the road is successfully built and run, government owned railroads will not be confined to Alaska and Panama.

It is remarkable the difference between the value of land when it is to be sold to the city, and when it is being assessed for city taxes.

S. F. CAPITAL TO SUBDIVIDE TRACT

Another land deal of importance in the development of Richmond has been put through, whereby William Stiller and Harry Bart, San Francisco capitalists, come into possession of forty-seven acres of hillside land adjoining Arlington Terrace. The deal was closed by Bert Kerley and W. A. Lucas.

Arrangements are being made to subdivide the property, which will be placed on the market under the name of the Richmond Park Site tract. The purchase price has not been made public.

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ASK FOR STREET TO BE PAVED AS WHOLE

Property owners along Cutting boulevard are strongly opposing any move on the part of the City Council to allow the street improvement on that street to be done by piecemeal instead of awarding the contract to one party as a whole.

The council has ordered plans and specifications prepared for the laying of a two-inch bitulithic wearing surface, cement concrete curbs, gutters and sidewalks.

As Mr. Vale, of the Barber Asphalt Company, asserted on a recent visit to this city, that piecemeal work made it difficult for outside contractors to bid on a job, the property owners declare they want this work done as a whole.

From present indications such action will be taken by the council.

LOOKING FOR TROUBLE

Anybody having trouble with the eyes can find relief at Suite 1, Pillow Bldg., Seventh and Macdonald ave., the local office of Dr. J. H. Schroder, the German Optometrist and Optician of San Francisco. Office hours from 9 to 12 a. m. every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and by appointment.

Richmond, Cal., Mar. 6, 1914.

Dr. Schroeder: In order to thank you for your good services I would like to make public my appreciation.

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Respectfully yours,
MRS. E. BETTS,
157 Seventh street.

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FUTURE DOINGS

March 18—Ladies of the Wesley Methodist church will give a tea at the home of Mrs. Bieber, 228 Nevin avenue.

March 19—Dance by Richmond Social and Tango Club in Pythian Castle. Gents, 50 cents; ladies free. Instructions.

March 20.—Social dance Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen at Pythian Castle. Logan's Orchestra.

March 20—Junior Baraca Boys to give banquet and booster meeting in the Wesley Methodist Church. All boys between the ages of 14 and 18 are invited to attend.

March 20—Whist party given by Richmond Hive, Ladies of the Maccabees of the World, in A. O. U. W. Hall. Dancing and refreshments. Score cards 25 cents.

March 25—Whist party by Herman Sons, to take place in Bank Hall.

March 27—Dance given by Lincoln Homesteaders No. 265, at A. O. U. W. Hall. Schwartz orchestra.

March 28—Whist party by Contra Costa Temple, Pythian Sisters. Refreshments and dancing.

April 3—First annual ball of Richmond Court No. 4940 I. O. F., in Sequoia Hall. Tickets 50 cents. Ladies free.

April 11—Military ball of Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, in Pythian Castle. Union music. Tickets 50 cents

April 3—Windmills of Holland, given by the music department of High School at auditorium of Lincoln School. Admission 35 and 50 cents.

May 2—Dance at East Shore Park, under the auspices of the Building Trades and Central Labor Council.

May 9—First annual ball given by the Pullman Fire company at East Shore Park.

May 16—Second annual ball of Contra Costa Temple No. 113 will be given at East Shore Park. Gents, 50 cents; extra lady, 25 cents.

Frank Lucas, well known local resident, has returned from a visit with friends in Oroville, Wyandotte and Palermo.

James T. Narbett, a local architect, was a visitor in the county seat yesterday.

DEFECTIVE FLUE CAUSE OF BLAZE

A defective flue in the home of John Hohniski, at 127 First street, started a blaze at an early hour yestrday morning. The fire gained such headway that, despite the efforts of the fire laddies, who were prompt to arrive on the scene, they were unable to extinguish it, and the structure burned to the ground. The loss was small. The home was insured for $300.

WATCHMAN LOSES COIN: ARRESTS FOLLOW

Although the report was given out at police headquarters on Monday night that there was nothing going on at the works of the Pacific Porcelain Ware Company, it was discovered yesterday that the watchman had complained that $16 had been taken from his pocket.

The police spent several hours investigating the matter, with the result that several employes were questioned, but nothing tangible was discovered. Superintendent Deasy of the company alleges that the watchman allowed persons in the building who had no right there and consequently no action was taken.

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WATER COMPANY PUTS IN NEW WELLS

Five new wells, which have just been installed, have caused the water furnished the city of Richmond by the People's Water Company to take on a slightly muddy hue. Some complaint about the water was made by local residents, but their wrath was appeased when Superintendent Farrell made the above explanation.

The water will be in its usual uncolored condition in another day or so, say the water officials.

Many Richmond people will be interested to know that D. L. Coleman at 225 Macdonald avenue conducts a complete steam cleaning and dveing plant. Phone 621. 3-5-1m

TO THE VOTERS OF THE FIRST SUPERVISOR DISTRICT, CONTRA COSTA, CAL.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Supervisor to represent the people of the above District on the Board of Supervisors of Contra Costa County.

Primary Election August 25, 1914.
General Election Nov. 3, 1914.

As under the existing law the election for County Offices is non-partisan, I propose to base my candidacy upon a determination to act as an official in a non-partisan manner and not to be swayed in my official conduct by political or other influences.

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2 lots on 6th st., near Chanslor ave., $1500, with street work paid.

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TO THE PEOPLE OF CONTRA COSTA COUNTY.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superior Judge of Contra Costa County.

Primary Election August 25, 1914.
General Election November 3, 1914.

Under the recent law all county officials are elected on a non-partisan basis. If elected I will stand for an absolutely fair and impartial trial of all cases with the least delay possible. C. A. CLARK.

Don't forget the News job department when in need of stationery.

NOTICE TO VOTERS

A new and complete registration of voters is required by law during the year 1914.

Registration closes for the purpose of voting for school trustees, on March 3rd, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at municipal elections, on March 13th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the primary election, on July 25th, 1914.

For the purpose of voting at the General Election, on October 3rd, 1914.

You may register with the County Clerk or any of his deputies.

Dated: January 22nd, 1914.
J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk of Contra Costa County, State of California.

The following are registration deputies:

A. C. Faris, City Hall, Richmond.
I. R. Vaughn, City Treasurer's office, Richmond.
Geo. K. Drew, Point Richmond.
Fred C. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Katherine Zimmerman, 432 C. street, Richmond.
Mary D. Neill, 154 Washington street, Richmond.
H. H. Turley, 724 South Thirtieth street, Richmond.
Nannie L. Nesbit, 621 Bissell avenue, Richmond.
W. H. Johnston, Stege.
D. A. Knowles, 340 Twentieth street, Richmond.
F. J. Frost, 517 Ripley avenue, Richmond.
C. B. O'Hara, 434 Fourth St., Richmond.
Anna Belle Jarvis, 544 Twentieth St., Richmond.
N. M. Blankenship, 528 Third St., Richmond.
F. H. Eggerth, 519 Fourteenth St., Richmond.
Arthur H. Taylor, Winehaven.
C. W. Luckett, Point Richmond.
W. F. Petillon, Richmond.
Geo. E. Schram, 422 Macdonald avenue, Richmond.
Geo. E. Valencia, San Pablo.
W. F. Huber, Stege Junction.
F. J. White, Rust.
B. B. Pierce, Park Place, Richmond.
W. H. Williams, Giant.
E. C. Ebsen, Pinole.
E. M. Downer, Pinole.
J. A. Fraser, Pinole.
Zittella Buckley, Pinole.
A. M. Ashenfelter, Hercules.
Mrs. Lucia Robison, Pinole.
Mrs. Marie Smith, Rodeo.
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PRIDE OF UPPER CLASSMEN IS HUMBLED

The lower classmen of Richmond High School vanquished the upper classmen by a one-sided score in the game played yesterday afternoon at the local park. The score was six to zero. Zero sounds cold, but it was a cool reception that the near graduates got from the aggregation of beginners.

The work of "Happy" Bradley, hurling for the lower classmen, was easily the feature of the game. Bradley allowed but few scattered hits, and made thirteen men break their backs whiffing at his twists. "Chet" McAllister, who did mound duty for the upper classmen, pitched a good article of ball, but a bunching of hits late in the game proved his final undoing. Mack struck out eight of the opposing nine.

The lineups follow:

Lower classmen—Cameron, catcher; McCann, first base; Bradley, pitcher; Brown, shortstop; C. Frazier, second base; Horvitz third base; Peres, left field; Neville, center field; Greathouse right field.

Uppr class—Donnelly catcher; McAllister, pitcher; Janke, first base; Cox, third base; Axelson, shortstop; McRacken, second base; Tipp, right field;; Adams, left field; Bates, center field.

WHIST PARTY IS A PLEASANT AFFAIR

El Cerrito Camp, Modern Woodmen, gave another of its enjoyable whist parties last night in Bank Hall, and what was lacking in numbers was made up in enthusiasm and fun. The crowd that showed up for the affair enjoyed itself for several hours. The games all the way through were close, keeping up the interest until the end.

The prize winners were W. M. Curtin, O. A. Lobaison, C. R. Pearson, F. J. Frost, Mrs. Strum, Mrs. E. Jennings, b. F. Walsh and E. Foster.

CITY SCHOOLS TO GET $10,000 COIN

Various schools in the county were yesterday allotted their proportion of the school money, which the state recently authorized for the county. Richmond, with forty-nine teachers and an average daily attendance of 1562 pupils, gets the largest amount, or $10,777.80.

The school at San Pablo, which has three teachers and an attendance of ninety-five pupils, was allowed $655.50. Pinole has five teachers, an attendance of 164 pupils and gets $1211.60.

WEST SIDE CLUB HAS AFTERNOON OF CARDS

The Social Elite Club of the west side had a lilly bridge and whist party yesterday afternoon at Fraternal Hall. In commemoration of St. Patrick's Day, the hall was tastefully decorated in green. Green ice cream, shaped to represent the shamrock, was served by the refreshment committee.

The winners of prizes were: Mrs. E. G. Griffin, Mrs. E. J. Girard, Mrs. B. A. Fenner, Miss Clare Bell Lowe, Earl Schofield, Mrs Henry Hulin, Mrs. Samuel Schofield, Mrs. J. C. Nicholson, Mrs. Howard Flint and Miss Shirley Coil.

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FRATERNAL ORGANIZATIONS

WOMEN OF WOODCRAFT — Log Cabin Circle No. 5408 meets every second and fourth Tuesday of each month in Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald avenue. Mrs. Anna B. Richards, Guardian Neighbor; Elfreeda Scott, Clerk.

MODERN WOODMEN — El Cerrito Camp No. 11622, Modern Woodmen of America, meets every Tuesday evening at Bank hall, Eighth and Macdonald. F. E. Tiller, Consul; C. B. Evans, Clerk.

REBEKAHS — Richmond Rebekah Lodge, No. 206, meets first and third Thursdays in each month at A. O. U. W. Bank hall, Sixth and Macdonald. Amy F. Thrall, N. G.; Mrs. Margaret Shea, Secretary.

PYTHIAN SISTERS — Richmond Temple No. 86 meets every Monday evening at Pythian Castle on Fifth street, near Macdonald. Amy Carpenter, M. E. C.; Alta Cook, M. of R. and S.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS — Richmond Lodge No. 13 meets every Friday evening at Pythian Castle. Visiting brothers are cordially invited to attend the meeting. O. F. Lilly, C. C.; A. S. Lilly, K. of R. & S.

PYTHIAN SISTERS—Contra Costa Temple, No. 113, meets every Saturday evening at Pythian Castle on Fifth street, near Macdonald. Bessie Gregory, M. E. C.; Jessie Persy, M. of R. and C.

ODD FELLOWS—Eclipse Lodge No. 403, I. O. O. F., meets every Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald avenue. F. W. Heckman, Noble Grand; E. G. Alexander, Secretary.

HERMANN SONS—Richmond Lodge No. 37 meets at Bank hall, corner Eighth and Macdonald, every first and third Wednesday nights at 8 o'clock. E. Forwick Secretary.

INDEPENDENT ORDER OF FORESTERS—Richmond Court, No. 4940. Meets first and third Fridays of the month at Sequoia Hall. L. B. Hutchins, Chief Ranger. Miss Helen Fussell, Financial Secretary, 400 Macdonald avenue.

CEMENT WORKERS' LOCAL NO. 138, A. B. of C. W., meets every Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Labor Temple, Fourth, near Macdonald. O. N. Smith, president. C. A. Twogood, secretary.

CIRCLE LADIES OF G. A. R.—Meet second and fourth Tuesday afternoons at 2 o'clock in Bank Hall. President, Mrs. Mary B. Moyle; secretary, Mrs. Nettie Murry.

ROYAL NEIGHBORS—Maple Camp No. 4027, Royal Neighbors of America. Meets every Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at Bank Hall. Visitors cordially welcome. Ella Bowman, Oracle; Louise Wymer, Recorder, 643 S. Fifteenth street.

FORESTERS MEET TALK AND PLAN

Plans for a big dance and a social to be held at a date to be selected later, were broached and discussed at the meeting of the local lodge of Ancient Order of Foresters, held in Bank Hall last night.

The session was an enthusiastic one, and before adjournment was taken preliminary plans were also made for an aggressive membership campaign. The meeting was well attended.

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DAMAGE SUIT IS STARTED OVER ACCIDENT

The Mt. Diablo Garage Company of Richmond and Walnut Creek is made defendant in a damage suit for $5000 brought by William J. McElherron as administrator of the estate of J. E. McElherron. The latter, it is alleged, was killed by an automobile operated by an employe of the company on the night of March 25, 1913. It is set forth that the machine was being driven at more than eighteen miles an hour in violation of the speed limitations fixed by Richmond ordinance. The deceased, it is alleged, leaves an aged father and a sister dependent upon him for their support.

VAUGHN HAS HANDS TIED BY LATIMER.

In compliance with the request of the Santa Fe Railroad Company, which yesterday filed papers in the Superior Court, Superior Judge Latimer issued a restraining order against City Treasurer I. R. Vaughn, keeping him from foreclosing street lines on the company's property fronting on Ashland avenue.

The sale to secure the taxes was to have been conducted this morning, but the order was made returnable a week from next Monday, so no action can be taken until that time. It is expected the company will pay the tax in the meantime.

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6 lines	.50	.90	1.20	2.00	3.00
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8 lines	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—At 684 Eighth st. Tel. 647. A five-room modern bungalow; fire place, book cases; complete polished floors; everything that goes in an up-to-date house; leaving town; must sell quick. 3-17-4t

FOR SALE or exchange—A 40-horsepower Auburn Automobile, in first-class order; just overhauled; will sell for cash or exchange for Richmond lots; price $700. Isaac Lester, 608 Macdonald ave. 3-15-tf

COUNTRY LANDS FOR SALE.
A FARM AND RANCH OF 20 ACRES—14 acres alfalfa, will produce 7 crops per year; 6 acres of barley; 110 fruit trees, mostly old (almonds and apricots, full bearing); 1 fresh cow and heifer, 1 lumber wagon almost new; team of mules (1200 or 1300 pounds);; 1 set double harness, almost new;; 80 or 90 chickens; 10 horse-power electric motor; 1 house almost new, 5 rooms, 1 barn, almost new; 2 wells, 90 feet deep, 10 feet casing; 1 windwill 14 feet fan;; well connected; 2 new stoves, 1 gas and 1 wood; 7000 plants bearing strawberries. Price $6000; $3000 cash, balance four years, 6 per cent interest. Title clear. Distant one mile from Elmira. depot. Fare from Richmond $1.40, S. P. 2-22-3-7
ALSO—
Ten-acre ranch (5 acres alfalfa); will produce 7 crops per year; 10 horse-power motor one 5-room house and barn, large; ;2 wells, deep; sufficient water to irrigate; 1 windmill; 2 stoves worth $60, gas and wood; 1 cow; 5 acres in barley; fruit for table use. Price $3500; cash $2500, balance in 4 years; interest 6 per cent per year. 100 chickens.
For further information regarding the above ranches apply JOHN E. ESQUIVEL, Elmira, Cal., care General Delivery.

FOR SALE—New four-room, strictly modern bungalow; large reception hall. Apply to owner, 118 N. Fifth street. 3-3-24t

FOR SALE—Two lots at foot of East Richmond Heights, 40x100 and 73 x100; $500 cash for the two. Inquire Thos. Shewmaker, Hotel Fairview, 22nd and Macdonald ave. 3-13to17

FOR SALE—Upright folding bed for sale cheap; French plate mirror. Apply 329 Bissell ave. 3-10-tf

FOR SALE—Barred Rock baby Chicks for sale. 325 Virginia st. 3-15-2t

FOR SALE — Barred Plymouth Rock, Rhode Island Reds, Black Minorca, Black Langshan and White Orpingtons. Eggs for hatching and baby chicks. Address 221 South Twelfth street. 3-11-tf

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FOR RENT—Three furnished housekeeping rooms. Apply at 458 Fifth st.; $15 per month. 3-17-3t

FOR RENT—One modern furnished room suitable for lady or gentleman, with bath. 317 Macdonald ave.

FOR RENT—A room for rent suitable for one or two gentlemen at 255 Thirteenth st. Apply on premises. 3-12-1w

FOR RENT—Two modern furnished rooms for lady or gentleman, with bath. 317 Macdonald ave. 2-21-tf

FOR RENT—Attractive apartment of six rooms in "The Florence" on Tenth street. Apply to Mrs. Mary Walsh, 315 Nevin avenue. 2-27-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished cottage, 625 Twelfth st.; rent $25; water paid; modern and new. 3-3-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

COMFORTABLE single room wanted by a clerk, in private family, close to business center; state price. Box B, Daily News. 3-17-2t

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NOTICE—For window cleaning and janitor work ring up Richmond 4081, or apply at 825 Sixth st. 2-13tf

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The Property

Richmond Canal Subdivision

The property to be subdivided is the logical business center and the best part of the waterfront of Richmond. It is located between the Inner Harbor and the Municipal Tunnel—the gateway to the Outer Harbor, and extends to the inner arm of the Government channel. Its similarity with the Embarcadero and the business part of Market street, San Francisco, and Oakland Harbor and Broadway is obvious.

The reason for this contest

Having studied the industrial conditions of the Atlantic Coast cities and realizing the tremendous effect the opening of the Panama Canal will have upon the industrial development of the Pacific Coast and that of Richmond in particular, we feel that the correct planning of this vitally important piece of property will have far-reaching consequence upon the future traffic and business problems of Richmond.

With this in mind and having the future of Richmond, with which city we have been identified for the past ten years, at heart, we feel ourselves inadequate to the task, rather than use our plan or decide upon the plan of one single person, we have decided to call in the general public and by a planning contest secure the best idea possible.

Contest open to all--not skill but common sense

You need not be a draughtsman, architect or engineer; all you require is common sense, logic and application. San Francisco and Oakland, both harbor cities, are laid out along certain lines, like all other harbor cities. Bear this in mind, and then suggest where the main thoroughfares will be located on our property.

We furnish maps, charts, full instructions free

All you need is a pencil, a little thought and you may win one of these prizes.

This may help you in your planning

Visit the City Planning Exhibit at the Oakland City Hall from March 13 to March 22. It has just arrived from New York, where it attracted nation-wide attention. It embodies the thoughts and imaginations of the best thinkers of the world. By attending this exhibit you have all this knowledge at your hand, and your task will become very easy indeed.

We appeal to young men and women of a serious turn of mind, business men, professional men, societies, clubs and all level-headed people who observe and do not go thfough life with their eyes shut.

$5000 for the best plan suggested.

5 prizes of $1000 for the next best suggestions.

These are the prizes

$500 to the person who will write the best and most logical essay on the development of Richmond within the next ten years.

5 prizes of $100 each for the next five best.

$500 to the person who will write the best essay on this property being the logical business center of Richmond.

5 prizes of $100 for the five next best.

We reserve the right to use any or all of the plans, or a portion of any or all of them, because we think even the best plans might be improved by a composite plan made up of ideas drawn from the many which will be submitted. The prize money will be paid in Richmond real estate, which is even better than gold dollars.

The judges will be announced in the paper later.

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Richmond needs the thought and attention of its citizens REGARDING THE FUTURE LAYING OUT AND PLANNING of this community for there is not another city in the whole United States which future can be compared to the tremendous development in store for Richmond, which will be brought about by the opening of the Panama Canal and incidentally the construction of harbor facilities for this, the Industrial Center of the Pacific Coast.

DO NOT FAIL TO VISIT THE EXHIBIT.

.... IN THE SOCIAL WHIRL ....

MISS O'ROURKE SURPRISED.

Miss Katie O'Rourke, well known and popular telephone operator, was pleasantly surprised at her home last Monday night when a number of friends appeared to help her celebrate her birthday. The hostess entertained her visitors royally. The diversions of the evening were dancing and music. Delightful refreshments were served. The list of those present includes Misses Marie Sullivan, Julia O'Rourke, Katie O'Rourke, Ethel Northcutt, Hazel Johnson, Maude Shaw, Ida Clause, Stella Clause, Helen McQuarrie, and Chas. Keefer, Bob Ziemer, Edward Holsworth, Fred Eheckart of Oakland, Tom Kienzen, Carl Burley, Alfie Childs, Alton Jardine, Mrs. O'Rourke, Mrs. Smith and Mrs. Worley.

PLANNING THEIR DANCE.

The committee in charge of the dance to be given in Sequoia Hall Thursday night by the members of Richmond Council No. 883, Modern Order of Praetorians, is doubling its efforts to make the event one of the biggest social events of the spring season. Something entirely novel and unique is being worked out in the decoration scheme. The best of music will be provided for the affair, and the floor committees will see that everyone is provided with plenty of dances.

ENTERTAINS MOOSE AUXILIARY.

Mrs. Frank Bosworth was the hostess to the local Moose Auxiliary at her home on Fourth street last night. At last night's meeting plans for several events to be given during the coming summer and fall were discussed. The evening was passed pleasantly at whist.

READING IS TOMORROW.

The Shakespearean reading to have been given in the auditorium of the high school this morning by George Williams, a well known student of the famous English poet, has been postponed until tomorrow morning. The reading will commence at 11 o'clock.

Next Friday at the Polytechnic Business College Williams will give a reading on the five-act play, "Much Ado About Nothing."

MATRON CHOSEN AS HEAD OF SOCIETY

It was a very interesting meeting which the Women's Missionary Society of the Presbyterian Church, held yesterday. The occasion was the annual gathering and election of officers. Mrs. S. S. Ripley was unanimously chosen president, Mrs. J. T. Work vice president, Mrs. Norman O'Hara secretary and treasurer and Mrs. E. Edlund secretary of literature.

Following the business Mrs. Walter Paul read a very entertaining paper on "Missions in Japan." A general discussion of the emigration problem followed and then a social hour and refreshments concluded the day.

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RICHMOND LODGE.

Richmond Lodge of Rebekahs No. 206 was delightfully entertained last night by Mrs. Ollie Lane at the Frank Lucas ranch. The evening was spent at whist. Fifty guests were present.

Joe Lucas, one of the lodge's favorites, was presented with a birthday ring as a gift from the lodge in honor of his birthday, which fell yesterday. The presentation speech was made by Mrs. Shay. The recipient of the present responded in a happy manner.

The prizes follow: Ladies' first, Mrs. Gassa; second, Mrs. Fleger; third, Mrs. Chapman; consolation, Mrs. Shay. Gentlemen's first, Thomas Shay; second, Mrs. Clark; third, Mrs. Mullen; consolation, Mrs. Lane.

PLANNING CONCERT.

L'Estudentiba, the glee club of the local high school, met last night at the home of Miss Edith Selvy at 300 Bissell avenue and talked over future activities. The society is already laying its plans for a concert which will be given in Richmond next September.

CASHIER KNOWN IN CITY SLAIN IN SOUTH

Refusing the demands of a bandit, who entered the First National Bank of Phoenix, Ariz., of which he was cashier, Guy Bailey, cousin of Dr. Mark G. Bailey, west side dentist, was instantly killed. The bullet pierced the heart and Bailey wac found shortly after the robbery in the cashier's apartment.

The dead man has often visited here and expressed a strong desire to make his home in Richmond. He had a very strong personality and made scores of friends, who expressed deep regret when they learned of his unfortunate demise yesterday. He was married but a short time ago to a Santa Cruz girl who has also many friends here.

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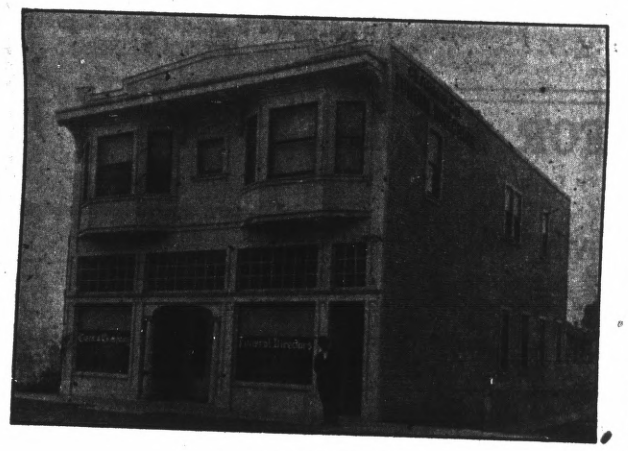

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TAKE NO ACTION AGAINST STEGE SALOON

Taking the view that the charges against the saloon of G. Rossie Bertoli on Potrero avenue, near San Pablo in Stege, were simply spitework, and finding little or no foundation for the charges, the Board of Supervisors, in session at Martinez Monday, by unanimous vote granted Bertoli a renewal of his liquor licenuse. The hearing on the matter occupied the greater part of the day. The proceedings were halted temporarily on several occasions by bitter clashes between Chairman Trythall and Justice Huber of Stege, the latter who was a leader in the fight to have the license revoked.

It developed that a petition, signed by 114 people, asking for a revocation of the license, was invalid to a large degree, as many of the signers lived considerable distance from the saloon.

Several witnesses were put on the stand, whose testimony was to the effect that Bertoli conducts a disorderly place.

PUMPING PLANT OF POWDER CO. COMPLETED

Work, which had been in process for several weeks on the new $40,000 pumping plant of the Hercules Powder Company at San Pablo, has been completed. The plant will be put into operation immediately. Although the new pumping plant is one of the most expensive in this section, the powder company expects to achieve more satisfying results through it than they would from a cheaper plant.

NOT DEAD, ONLY DEAD DRUNK, THEY FIND

Not dead as reported, but only dead drunk, found the officers, yesterday afternoon, when they responded to a call that was turned into the police station to the effect that a man had dropped dead at the corner of Santa Fe and Standard avenues.

Sergeant Ruiz and Officer Phillips hunted up Undertaker Kelly and the three men hurried to the spot. John Doe of San Francisco was found lying on his face. When he was turned over it was easy to guess what was the matter with him.

The offender has been locked in the city jail, pending the sobering up process. He will appear before Police Judge Lindsay in the morning.

MRS. CHAVEZ IS HONORED BY FORESTERS

Mrs. C. A. Chavez, prominent member of the Women's Catholic Order of Foresters, was presented with a beautiful pin, following the meeting held on Monday night. The gift was a token of appreciation for the good work which the matron has done for the order.

The presentation speech made by Rev. Father O'Connell was greeted with loud applause. He praised Mrs. Chavez for her success and encouraged the other members to follow in her footsteps.

NO COMPLAINT MADE; ALLOWED TO DEPART

As no complaint was made against Rossi Antonio, a Greek, who is alleged to have made himself a nuisance around the Santa Fe depot here, and who was placed under arrest Monday afternoon by Officer Phillips, the Greek was allowed to depart by the authorities yesterday, on his promise to return to San Francisco and make himself less obnoxious in the future.

Antonio is alleged to have bothered Station Agent A. F. Rice in various ways.

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AUTO CRASHES INTO CURB.

What might have been a serious accident occurred Monday night at the corner of Grand boulevard and Twenty-third street, when the auto driven by Miss Biggs crashed into the curb. In the machine with Miss Biggs at the time of the near accident were two girl friends. A broken axle was the cause of the trouble.

PROTEST AGAINST PROPOSED NEW RULING

A strenuous protest against the possible withdrawal of terminal freight rates was made before the Board of Supervisors Monday afternoon by a committee of three hundred men. On the committee were men representing corporations and railroad, traffic and transportation officials.

The protest resulted in the appointment of a committee of five, which has been empowered to draft a plea of intervention, which will be forwarded to Washington. Congressman C. F. Curry has been informed of the action taken at the meeting.

The committee appointed to draft the plea of intervention was as follows:

Sheriff R. R. Veale of Contra Costa county; W. A. Simonton, traffic manager of the Hercules Powder Company; E. H. Gunn, president Columbia Steel Company; W. H. Mitchell, traffic manager Cowell Lime and Cement Company; J. H. Morrow, president of Martinez Business Men's Association.

Among the representative men who attended today's meeting were the following: L. B. Dimm, superintendent of the Standard Oil Company; A. H. Jongeneel, president of the California Can Company, Pittsburg; Otis Loveridge of the C. H. Hooper Company, Pittsburg; E. J. Randall, mayor of Concord; W. A. Donnelly, former rate traffic manager of the Santa Fe Company; H. Henri Emanuel, Ellis Dock and Warehouse Company; Lance Richardson, district freight and passenger agent of Oakland; A. B. McKenzie, district attorney of Contra Costa county; Exposition Commissioner John Birmingham Jr.

ST. PATRICK'S DAY FITTINGLY OBSERVED

Yesterday, March 17, was St. Patrick's Day, and all true sons of Erin united in making the natal day of the noted Celtic saint one of rejoicing and real commemoration. Green was much in evidence. Green hats, green socks and green neckties were resurrected from their places among the wardrobe, and put into actual use. True Irishmen and those of Irish ancestry were easily distinguishable in Richmond yesterday by those from ear to ear smiles and those vivid bits of wearing apparel.

OGBORN ISSUES FOUR PERMITS FOR HOMES

Four building permits were issued by City Architect Ogborn yesterday. Predictions to the effect that the coming of spring would mean a renewal of building activities in Richmond seem to be coming true. The permits issued by Ogborn follow:

O. Franzini, for the erection of a frame building on the south side of Contra Costa street, between Pacific and Golden Gate avenues, to cost $700.

J. P. Atwood, for the erection of a cottage on the west side of Belvedere street, between Lucas and Pennsylvania avenues, to cost $500.

I. Rindee, for the erection of a cottage on the west side of Sixth street, between Ripley and Pennsylvania avenues, to cost $800.

John L. Lind, for the erection of a modern cottage on the west side of Seventh street, between Lincoln and Lucas avenues, to cost $1800.

Rev. Stewart of the Calvary Baptist Church returned from Sacramento yesterday afternoon.

C. B. Lickhart and C. E. Merrill are spending several days on a visit in Sacramento.

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CITY MANAGER PLAN ADVOCATED BY TURLEY

By H. H. TURLEY.

Noting an article in the Sunday morning Daily News. stating that the writer is the father of the charter amendment move, I want to say that I deny the charge. Not that I would not be proud to be the father of such a move, but believe it would receive a stronger support with other parentage. I feel that the charter amendments might have a father with a larger following of approval if other than myself. However, since this charter amendment move is started and no father appears to claim it, I am willing to adopt it, and having noticed the items in the daily papers in reference to same here recently, have made some investigations as a member of the committee appointed by the City Council over a year ago, of some of the latest and most up-to-date provisions of city charters.

If one will look back over the city records, I think of January, 1913, or there about, you will find that the City Council appointed a committee from the Board of Trade consisting of F. C. Schram, D. A. Knowls, L. Boswell, J. S. Chandler and myself and City Clerk I. R. Vaughan and Auditor J. A .McWittie, on charter amendments. We found the time too short before the last session of the Legislature to go very far and carefully into charter amendments and only submitted and recommended the urgent needed one at that time, being the tax rate. This committee was not discharged and it was the understanding at the time that we were to go carefully into the necessity of changes in our present city charter and submit a report of such changes in time for the next session of the Legislature.

For the above reason, and owing to the fact that I was one of the free-charter, I am always alert to any-holders who helped frame our present thing published in that line.

As a member of the board of freeholders I was with the minority in favor of a council of five paid members on the commission plan.

We who favored this commission form predicted the present conditions of the divided responsibility and lack of time for unpaid councilmen to properly attend to the city's business. The city of Richmond is not a charitable institution and why should any of her citizens be required to devote their time and attention to her welfare without a reasonable compensation. It is not made up of retired millionaires who have nothing else to do.

Since this charter was framed six years ago, we find that an improvement has been made to the commission form of government in other cities which I believe is just as far ahead of the original commission form as the commission form was ahead of the old form. That is the city manager plan. This is getting down to the very basis on which a private corporation conducts its business. Should not a municipal corporation be run on the same sound business plan as a private corporation? Are not the voters and taxpayers its stockholders?

This city manager plan was too new and untried when we were framing our present charter to fully provide for it, but provisions are made in our present charter whereby the city manager can be appointed to have charge of the affairs of the city, however. I believe it better to amend the charter in that respect and provide for five paid councilmen and a city manager.

We find another new provision in city charters which is undoubtedly a great saving of expensive elections over our present system and brings about the same desired results.

That is the "preferred system of voting," which does away with the primary election and brings about the same results at one general election. If you have not investigated this system, it would be well to look it up.

Still another good provision which is being framed for the Alameda charter at the present time is that requiring the candidate, upon filing his or her petition for nomination for office, to fill out a form provided, giving a brief history of their past record.

I notice some items about framing a new charter, but believe it is putting the city to an unnecessary expense without any better results, to again elect a board of freeholders, for some of the late Supreme Court decisions are very clear and decisive on the point that a charter can be amended almost to the extent of making a new charter without electing a board of freeholders ,just so the amendments would not stand alone; as a complete charter they can be termed as amendment or amendments.

Better still, in my opinion, to take each separate and distinct subject in the charter proposed to be amended and make several amendments on the ballot to be voted for.

The constitution of the state plainly says amendments or amendment.

Now while I have the floor I want to say something about this editorial appearing in the same paper, as follows:

"What Richmond needs as badly as anything is a good, live chamber of commerce that will be thoroughly alive to the needs and requirements of the city and that will be ready at any moment to take up any project for the betterment of the community."

When the Sequoia Club consolidated with the Board of Trade last July under the name of the Sequoia Commercial Club, it was the idea that it would do the work of a chamber of commerce and I believe it has been "alive to the needs and requirements of the city," but if it has been lacking in any respect would it not be better to fire its present officers, including the secretarf, and help out and continue the present organization than to form a new one? We are trying to get the various organizations together to join hands in any movement for the betterment of the community, but if there is anything in the way of us accomplishing this, let us find out what it is and get it out of the way. Help us to make this body at least 500 members pulling together for the best interest of Richmond under any name which is best fitted and meets with the approval of the majority of its members.

MEJIA TO FIGHT AT ANTIOCH ON 25TH

Frank Mejia, well known former local boy, and a boxer of some repute, has been matched to meet Gus Rainier. The battle between the two lightweights will be staged at Antioch on March 26. Mejia has started to train for the bout. Both boys have considerable experience, and the fight fans of the upper end of the county are anticipating a real mill when they get together.

PLAN TO ATTEND EXHIBIT IN OAKLAND

All of Richmond is planning to attend the big exhibit in the Oakland city hall next Wednesday. That day has been set aside and every one from this thriving city is expected to go.

The harbor plan is one of the big features of the exhibit. Richmond is well represented on the card, as Mayor Ludewig will be the one in charge and Colonel Thomas H. Rees will lecture on "Harbors." Those who have seen the exhibit declare it is worth traveling miles to see.

STEGE RESIDENTS WOULD BUILD SEWERS

An ordinance granting permission to the Stege Sanitary Sewer District to construct sewers in that section, and to allow the city to connect with the system, providing it paid its pro rata of the cost and maintenance of the system, was introduced at the council meeting Monday night.

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The youths who on Saturday night at 12:30 started for the cross-country hike to Martinez finished their trip on very good time. Leaving Richmond at 12:30 they covered the twenty-three miles to the county seat by 7:45 in the morning. They returned by train and though they report a fatiguing trip, intend to take some bigger hikes in the near future. The Payson Juniors are Raymond Johnson, Vernile Read, Joda Lamore and Varda Demick.

NARROW ESCAPE WHEN AXLE BREAKS

Miss Vivian Biggs, well known local miss, received a severe scare yesterday afternoon when the front axle of the automobile she was driving along Twenty-first street broke and threatened to throw her into the street. She stopped the car as soon as possible, but not before it had torn up some of the street surface. The car was removed to the Kershner & Conn garage, where the damaged parts will be soon repaired.

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RICHMOND THEATER.

Today's show at the Richmond Theater was reviewed in yesterday's paper. It consists of a strong two-reel offering by the Kalem Company, entitled "A Million in Jewels." Partly an Oriental story and partly an American story.

"The Calling of Jim Barton," a Western Essanay offering, with G. M. Anderson, is also very strong in its respective type.

"Her Wayward Son," by the Lubin Company, has beautiful scenery and is full of thrills and excitement.

"The Lucky Elopement," a Vitagraph comedy, will prove a winner, being one of those comedies that keeps one continually laughing.

In short, the various offerings shown at the Richmond today will undoubtedly please everyone, as it truly is an excellent program.

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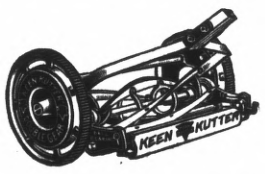
EASY RUNNING  BEST MATERIAL

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ALBUM OF VIEWS OF RICHMOND UNDERWAY

An interesting album is being made by the Cheney Photography Company of Oakland for the Sequoia Commercial Club, and when it is finished promises to be one of the best works of its kind, and one of the biggest boosts for the town that has ever been put out.

Pictures are being taken to the number of 112, of all of the principal industries and places in Richmond, and will be inserted in the album, along with descriptions of the places. Three copies will be made, one of which the club will own, another will be installed in the Ferry building and the third will be sent to various fairs, and will be on display at the 1915 Exposition.

With the aid of a patent lense the pictures are being taken at night. Last night O. A. Poulsen, Clark's Candy Kitchen, French-American Baking Company, Charles G. Yonce and Otto Mueller were the places photographed.

WHITE HOUSE IS NOW HOTEL DE QUALITY

Mrs. Jean Martin, conducting the famous "white house" at the end of Fifth street, has not embarked in a new role. She has taken out a hotel license. Of course she has not given out what character of place she intends to run, whether or not it is to be European or American plan.

For some time it has been openly stated on the streets that the woman could furnish some real interesting information about how city affairs are conducted if she was pressed real hard by the powers that be. For instance, it is said she can tell how she ever came here, and what inducements were held out to her.

But some one has put the quietus on her and told her to get a hotel license and now she is resting serenely running the same old game as of old. The police are asking why some of the church folks or clubs do not gather the evidence nad prosecute her for running an immoral place after she is arrested.

If this is done, they assert, some real interesting news will be divulged.

COUNCIL ASKING WHO'LL COUNT THE FLIES

Records were broken when A. Dunlap submitted the proposition to the City Council to catch flies at the rate of 5 cents for each 1000 which he gathered. The flies are to be done up in little sealed packages of 1000 each and delivered to the representative of the board.

Members of the council think kindly of the proposition, but are now wondering who is going to count the flies. Of course Mr. Dunlap is honest, and all that, but suppose some one questioned the number of flies turned in. Who could say the number of pests corraled was correct.

The proposition is a first-class one and would do the city far more good than donations for exhibits to be made in foreign countries and the like.

AMBROSE TAILORS CARD FOR NEXT SUNDAY

Ths Ambrose Tailors, one of the fastest semi-pro ball clubs in the entire bay region, will clash with the speedy Richmond Club at the local park Sunday afternoon. Manager Richard Greathouse made this announcement last night.

When the news became noised around along the Rue De Macdonald the fans immediately began to warm up to the coming session. The Tailor crew comes here with a real record; one of those kinds of records that always makes the fans pulling for the opposing club stop and think. Twice this year have the Ambrose boys given the fast Phoenix team at St. Mary's College a drubbing. Last Sunday they beat the Newarks six to one. This Sunday they are going to try to trim the local crew of pepper boys.

But the local gang have been beaten twice in a row (although the beating last Sunday was not an honest to goodness beating), and they claim that they are overdue for a win. The whole village thinks they are, and the boys will continue to trot these thoughts out verbally until shown some evidence to the contrary.

The lineup of the Tailors follows: Starasinich, pitcher; Baldwin, catcher; Kersten, first base; Hooker, second base; Wetzel, third base; Powers, shortstop; Bilty, left field; Furier, center field; Petersen, right field.

WANTS CITY COIN FOR WORK OF ARMIES

Gone, but the memory still lingers, would be a fit way to explain the departure and story of what was done by the men during the time that Kelly's army was our guests. The latest reminder of the visit of the unemployed comes in the nature of a demand for $350 damages, resulting from the tearing down of a shack belonging to I. La Selle, and which stood on San Pablo avenue where it joins with Macdonald.

La Selle has secured the services of Herbert Choynski, a San Francisco attorney, and he asks for immediate retribution. The council is of the opinion that the armies performed a favor to the community by removing the building and has asked the city attorney to investigate.

CAMP FIRE GIRLS TO CONDUCT THE SERVICES

An interesting service is scheduled for next Sunday at the Calvary Baptist Church, when the Camp Fire Girls will have entire charge of the regular preaching service.

Service begins at 11 a. m. sharp. Two girls of this class will usher and they will receive the offering. One will make all the announcements. The entire class will lead in the congregational singing, taking the place of the church choir. Rev. W. S. Stewart, pastor of the church, will preach an illustrated sermon especially for Juniors. Keep the date—March 22— and come.

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